GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

PSs - School Education - Allegations of misconduct against M.R.Prasanna Kumar, the then RJDSE, Guntur - Disciplinary proceedings initiated - Enquiry Report submitted - Further action dropped - Orders - Issued.

SCHOOL EDUCATION [VIG] DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No.188 Dated: 24.08.2023

Read the following:-

1. From the DG, ACB Lr.Rc.No.03/RCO-NNL/2011, dt.16.02.2017.
2. Govt Memo No.11747/SE.VigI[1]/2011, dt.01.11.2017.
3. G.O.Rt.No.5, School Education [Vig] Dept., dt.21.01.2021.
4. Written Statement of Defence dt.25.02.2021 submitted by Sri MR Prasanna Kumar, the then RJDSE, Guntur.
5. Govt Memo.No.11747/SE:Vig.I(1)/2011, dt.01.04.2021.
6. From the CSE Lr.Rc.No.ESE02-11022/20/2021-EST1-CSE, dt:12.06.2021.
7. G.O Rt.No.215, SE (Vig) Dept., dt:06.09.2021.
8. G.O Rt.No.216, SE (Vig) Dept., dt:06.09.2021.
9. From Sri V.N.Masthanaiah, Director, SIEMAT, AP Samagra Siksha & Inquiry Officer, Lr.No.11/MRPK/Enquiry/2022, Dt.20.07.2022.
10. Govt Memo No.11747/ SE.Vig.I(1)/2011, dt.02.10.2022.
11. Written explanation dt.07.11.2022 of Sri MR Prasanna Kumar, the then RJDSE, Guntur and the Charged Officer.

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ORDER:-

In the reference 3rd read above, the following articles of charge has been framed against Sri M.R.Prasanna Kumar, the then RJDSE, Guntur and now working as Director, Public Libraries, for his alleged irregularities, in according permission to run the school in the name and style of Sri Chaitanya Techno School, Ramalingapuram, Nellore:

Charge:

Sri M.R.Prasanna Kumar while working as Regional Joint Director of School Education, Guntur connived with other persons and without verifying the certificates, approved building plan for running the school building, registration of lease for Sri Chaitanya Techno School, Ramalingapuram, no objection certificate from Dist. Fire Officer, amounts to be paid to the Govt. through challan and the report of three men committee members and its ground level position, recommended and allowed Sri Chaitanya Techno School, Ramalingapuram, Nellore to obtain permission to run the school from the higher authorities in the said building without observing the norms and conditions laid down and failed to supervise functioning of his subordinates properly.

Thus, Sri M.R. Prasanna Mumar, formerly Regional Joint Director of School Education, Guntur by his above mentioned acts has exhibited lack of integrity, devotion to duty and conduct unbecoming of a government servant and thereby violated rule 3(1) & (2) of APCS (Conduct) Rules, 1964 and as such he is liable for departmental action.

2. In the reference 4th read above, the Charged Officer has submitted his Written Statement of Defence and denied the charge framed against him.

3. Government after examination of the defence statement of the Charged Officer, decided to get an inquiry conducted into the charge framed against the Charged Officer. Accordingly, in the references 7th & 8th read above, Sri.V.N.Masthanaiah, Director appointed as Enquiry Officer & Sri.K.Nageswara Rao, JD appointed as Presenting Officer.

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4. In the reference 9th read above, the Inquiry Officer has submitted inquiry report and stated that no damage/loss occurred to the Department as the management was not allowed to run the school (orders were cancelled without implementation) and also the then RJDSE, Guntur, had raised up to the occasion, taken timely action and stopped the implementation of the orders issued on basis of false and fabricated reports and records, and concluded that the charge is held proved.

5. In the reference 11th read above, the Charged Officer has submitted his written representation on the findings of the Inquiring Authority and denied the charge framed against him.

6. Government, after careful examination of the circumstances of the case and the written explanation submitted by the Charged Officer, hereby drop further action against Sri M.R.Prasanna Kumar, the then RJDSE, Guntur and now working as Director, Public Libraries.

7. The Commissioner of School Education shall take further necessary action, accordingly, in the matter.

[BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH]

PRAVEEN PRAKASH
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The individual through the Commissioner of School Education, A.P.
The Commissioner of School Education, AP [with a request to communicate this order to the individual]
Copy to:-
The Director General, ACB, AP.
The APVC, AP Secretariat.
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SECTION OFFICER